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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir or Madam:

This is a preliminary amendment in the reissue application for issued U.S. Patent # 6,032,156 "**System for Automated Generation of Media**" filed April 1, 1998 and issued February 29, 2000. Please make the following amendments in the present application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

6. (Amended) The method of claim 5[,], wherein said media element [in an audiovisual clip] is a media clip, and at least one of said control tags contains transition information [indicating permitted transition points in said audiovisual clip].